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ATTENTION: Eltin Miletic

4 July 2012

Dear Sir / Madam

Integrated Development for 101//1161271 Schofields Road Schofields

I refer to your letter dated 20 June 2012 seeking general terms of approval for the above Integrated Development in accordance with Clause 55(1) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

This response is to be deemed a bush fire safety authority as required under section 100B of the 'Rural Fires Act 1997' and is issued subject to the following numbered conditions:

Water and Utilities

The intent of measures is to provide adequate services of water for the protection of buildings during and after the passage of a bush fire, and to locate gas and electricity so as not to contribute to the risk of fire to a building. To achieve this, the following conditions shall apply:

1. Water, electricity and gas are to comply with section 4.1.3 of 'Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2006'.

Access

The intent of measures for public roads is to provide safe operational access to structures and water supply for emergency services, while residents are seeking to evacuate from an area. To achieve this, the following conditions shall apply:

2. Public road access shall comply with section 4.1.3 (1) of 'Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2006'.

General Advice – consent authority to note

The Service notes that the proposed land use of Lot 1180 (School) may be significantly constrained with any asset protection zone (APZ) that may be required from the reserve identified within proposed Lot 1179.

This approval is for the subdivision of the land only. Any further development application for class 1,2 & 3 buildings as identified by the 'Building Code of Australia' may be subject to separate application under section 79BA of the EP & A Act and address the requirements of 'Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2006'.

This letter is in response to a further assessment of the application submitted and supersedes our previous general terms of approval dated 18 April 2012.

For any queries regarding this correspondence please contact Jason Hulston on 1300 NSW RFS.

Yours sincerely

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Nika Fomin **Team Leader, Development Assessment**

The RFS has made getting information easier. For general information on 'Planning for Bush Fire Protection, 2006', visit the RFS web page at <u>www.rfs.nsw.gov.au</u> and search under 'Planning for Bush Fire Protection, 2006'.